

**FISCAL MEMORANDUM
HB 2788 – SB 3058**

April 28, 2008

SUMMARY OF AMENDMENT (017735): Requests, rather than directs, the Department of Correction (DOC) in conjunction with the Department of Human Resources (DOHR) to study the issue of education and state employment for persons convicted of non-violent criminal offenses. Requires DOC and DOHR to report the findings of the study to the Senate and House Education Committees by March 1, 2009.

FISCAL IMPACT OF ORIGINAL BILL:

Increase State Expenditures - \$75,000/One-Time

FISCAL IMPACT OF BILL WITH PROPOSED AMENDMENT:

Unchanged from the original fiscal note.

Assumptions applied to amendment:

- The scope of the study has not changed from the original bill. Changing the language from mandatory to permissive does not alter the cost of conducting the study.
- Any cost to DOHR can be accommodated within existing resources.

CERTIFICATION:

This is to duly certify that the information contained herein is true and correct to the best of my knowledge.



James W. White, Executive Director

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